

## Fayette County Parks and Recreation Meeting

April 11, 2023 Minutes

Charles McCollum -absent

Mike Gumbinger -Present

Darrell Sims -Present

Shirelle Hicks-Present

Nick Kilburg- Present

Mary Catherine -County

Anita Godbee -county

Brian McDermott- FCYSL

Pace Sweatt-Rowing

Call to order: 6:35

Welcome, Invocation and Pledge: Mike

Minutes: Motion -Shirelle ; second-Nick; all in favor

New Business

- Anita covered all forms with Association Presidents

Soccer:

- Numbers are up
- New field maintenance is going well
- One turf field requested
- Trouble keeping people off fields when closed or have had bad weather. Association helps maintain fields with their money

Rowing:

- New coach joined last spring
- More competitive than rec
- 2 boats went to nationals in Florida
- Name changed to US Row. Marketing new name change to grow amount of kids
- Looking at another location for equipment building

- Numbers down from fall by a few
- Offer adult league
- County will provide the land for building. Determining possible new site

Old Business:

- SPLOST - passed. All municipalities voted for
- Change order submitted by A&E consultant due to size increase of multiuse facility. Meeting scheduled with consultant scheduled for April 20th to discuss.

Public Comment- none

New Business:

- Elections

Motion-Charles to be chair -Darrell, second - Shirelle, all in favor

Vice Chair -motion for Nick to be Vice Chair - motion - Darrell, second - Shirelle, all in favor

Secretary motion for Darrell – motion - Shirelle, second-Nick, all in favor

Anita is still trying to work through By-Laws

DNR LW CF Grant

- Federally funded through the state
- Can apply now through May 31. Max amount to apply for is \$1,000,000
- Decide what project or refurbishment is needed the most
- RFP out currently for sidewalk repair
- motion to put stormwater/drainage repairs -Darrell, second - Nick, all in favor Park fencing 2, 3 other
- 2023 Bobcat Improvement grant -\$50,000 Landscaping for Parks. Anita attending webinar to see if we qualify. motion- Mike, second-Shirelle, all in favor

Board Reports - none

Staff Reports-2024 CIP requests

- \$1,100,020 CIP Money - field fencing and parking lots requested
- \$1,004,394 operating budget requested

Adjournment- motion- Darrell , second-Nick, all in favor 9:00, Next meeting May 9, 2023 at 6:30 pm